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16 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
17 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

18 PAULA L. BLAIR, ANDREA ROBINSON,
19 and FALECHIA A. HARRIS, individually and
on behalf of all others similarly situated,

20 Plaintiffs,

21 v.

22 RENT-A-CENTER, INC., a Delaware
23 corporation; RENT-A-CENTER WEST, INC., a
24 Delaware corporation; and DOES 1-50,
inclusive,

25 Defendants.

Case No. 3:17-cv-02335-WHA

**STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED]
ORDER TO CONTINUE THE CASE
MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND
THE HEARING ON DEFENDANTS'
MOTION TO PARTIALLY COMPEL
ARBITRATION**

District Judge: Hon. William H. Alsup
Courtroom.: 8- 19th Floor
Complaint Filed: March 13, 2017
Trial Date: June 11, 2018

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STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER TO CONTINUE THE CASE MANAGEMENT
CONFERENCE AND THE HEARING ON DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO PARTIALLY
COMPEL ARBITRATION

STIPULATION

WHEREAS, the hearing on Defendants' Motion to Partially Compel Arbitration, Strike Class Action Claims, and Stay Proceedings (Dkt. No. 22) ("Motion") and a Case Management Conference is presently on calendar for September 7, 2017, at 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m., respectively;

WHEREAS, the wife of Robert Friedman—a member of the Texas bar and the attorney who will argue the Motion to Compel Arbitration on behalf of Defendants—is hospitalized and had unexpected surgery yesterday. For that reason, Defendants’ counsel has requested that Plaintiffs’ counsel agree to continue the Motion hearing and Case Management Conference to next week; and

WHEREAS, in consideration of Mr. Friedman's personal situation, counsel for the parties' respective calendars, and in view of the Court's calendar, the parties have agreed to continue the Motion hearing as well as the Case Management Conference, as specified herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, through their respective counsel, subject to Court approval, Plaintiffs and Defendants hereby stipulate and agree that, while the Court typically hears such matters on Thursdays, the Motion Hearing and Case Management Conference should be continued to September 19, 20, or 22, 2017, at 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m., respectively. Alternatively, the parties hereby stipulate and agree that the Motion hearing and Case Management Conference should be continued to September 28, 2017, at 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m., respectively.

IT IS SO STIPULATED.

Dated: September 6, 2017

WILSON TURNER KOSMO LLP

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Dated: September 6, 2017

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By: /s/ Zach P. Dostart
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ORDER

Having reviewed and considered the foregoing Stipulation, and finding good cause,
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the hearing on Defendants' Motion to Partially Compel
Arbitration, Strike Class Action Claims, and Stay Proceedings (Dkt. No. 22) and the Case
Management Conference are continued to September 28 at 8:00 A.M..

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: September 6, 2017.

Wm. Alsup
WILLIAM ALSUP
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

ATTESTATION

Pursuant to Civil L.R. 5-1(i)(3), I hereby attest that concurrence in the filing of this document has been obtained from Zach P. Dostart, counsel for Plaintiffs Rent-A-Center, Inc. and Rent-A-Center West, Inc.

Dated: September 6, 2017

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